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To: SSL

Subject: Cooper Lighting Comments on ENERGY STAR for SSL criteria

Dear Energy Star SSL Team,

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on the proposed Energy Star performance criteria for several lighting applications. Attached you will find Cooper Lighting comments regarding this proposal.

Cooper has been a leader in energy-efficient lighting technology for several years, with many industry-leading brands that offer forward-thinking lighting innovation for industrial, commercial and residential spaces. We are heavily invested in the continued development of Solid State Lighting and all energy-efficient lighting technology. We firmly believe that SSL represents the future of our industry. We are committed to working with Energy Star to help develop a meaningful standard.

In general we agree with the direction headed by the SSL team; however, as you will see from the attached comments, we believe there needs to be some additional refinement needed to: 1) Support the ongoing and dynamic technology advancements being made in the area of solid state lighting. 2) Fully appreciate and consider the depth of development and refinement of legacy luminaries with respect to the diversity of application and use that continues to evolve and improve.

Again we appreciate the occasion to participate in this important effort, and we look forward to seeing the next generation of these criteria.

Best Regards, Tim Hill Marketing Manager - Streetworks

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